

I checked my mutual fund contenets after the last attempt by Sinclair Broadcasting's attempt to suppress any truth which might reflect a negative light on the Bush administration. I then wrote letters to the funds that I hold and let them know that I would never own one that had any Sinclair stock.

Now it appears that suppressing the truth was not enough for Sinclair. They are now going to force their stations to air anti-Kerry propaganda only days before a major election. I am going to lobby my Representatives and Senators to replace the staff of the FCC with people who are more interested in fairness, truth and service to the people of the United States. Between the actions of Fox and Sinclair the dangers of media consolidation are brought into sharp relief.

The only answer is for the FCC to strengthen the public service aspects of media ownership rules.

At the very least the media outlets which are forced to air these political broadcasts must be forced to give Kerry equal time at an equal cost to what the Republican National Committee is paying for these services, if anything.

I look forward to your response.